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APPLIED RELIGION

The writer of a letter to the N. Y. Times claims that religious instruction for school children need not depend on opening prayer or scripture readings. "Where truth is taught, religion is present," he suggests. His idea is that public school and university teachers have made great contributions to the life of the age. He quotes an English schoolmaster interviewed by L. P. Jacks, in "A Living Universe." This teacher, asked where in his curriculum religion was taught, answered that he taught it all day. In each subject, thoroughness, accuracy, sincerity, reverence, and fair play were applied. Religion was shown, too, in courtesy and truthfulness between students and between teachers and students. Religion as such is mentioned only often enough to give point to its application. No one can deny the effectiveness of this sort of teaching. It does, however, require a high type of teacher, one whose own life is well grounded spiritually. Fortunately for the children of the world, many such teachers exist and exercise great influence. They keep the general level of teaching high.

RUSSIA AND FINLAND

The ultimate of the ridiculous must have been reached in the declaration of Finnish Communists that the government of Finland, twice in recent years a fighting victim of Russian aggression, was preparing to make war against Russia. This charge bears a striking resemblance to, but is even more absurd than, the familiar charge of American Communists that the United States officials have designs for war against Russia. Most of the world breathed easier as the tenseness began to relax in the Finnish strike crisis. Considering the history of Russo-Finnish relations, it is small wonder that there were widespread fears that Russia might have decided again to make an overt move against Finland, and that this would precipitate a perilous conflict since the Finns most certainly would resist. Probably we shall never know whether the Finnish government was right in its official explanation that the strike crisis was precipitated by Finnish Communists wholly on their own initiative, in an attempt to set the stage for seizure of the government. American observers can hardly doubt that the affair was carefully planned in advance with the knowledge and acquiescence, if not the collaboration of Moscow. The similarities between statements and acts of Finnish Communists and the party line in America should be noted carefully; they are most informative. The incident is a warning that the Russo-Finnish border is still a zone of potential trouble.

THE WEATHER MAN

No one actually considers the weather man responsible for the weather, but in default of real authority he is made the scapegoat. The meteorologist must keep the public informed as to tomorrow's weather and today's temperature, while he himself is preoccupied with past performances in this line. The coldest day and the hottest day so far recorded always form a mark for meteorological comparison, while hardly less interest is found in the highest wind, the deepest snow, and the heaviest rainfall. Planners of garden weddings and office picnics demand fair weather; farmers

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LUCKY MAN

"You're a very lucky person," every sneezer will declare, If you never get the sniffles when there's pollen in the air. If your eyes never swell and you sleep the night time through, Every victim of hay fever through the season envies you. You may think your woes are many; you may say your luck is bad: But if two stuffy nostrils and red eyes you've never had, If your head stays clear all summer and one handkerchief will do, Even a victim of hay fever thinks most fortunate are you. If you're given to complaining, and you wait too great a share Of misery and misfortune has been given you to bear. Just remember, if you're healthy and enjoy your meals you can, Every victim of hay fever thinks that you're a lucky man.

require just the right amount of rainfall; airmen want high ceilings and sailors a fair wind. If their orders are not properly filled, the weather man has all these people on his neck. For peaceful impersonality, he falls back on his records, impartially and unemotionally kept through long years of fair weather and foul.

WHOSE FAULT

Whatever may be the matter with Great Britain's economic position, it is not Socialism in the view of a British weekly, "The Economist," which is not a Socialist publication. It has just remarked:

"Britain's present difficulties are not due to anything that can properly be called Socialism; they are not due, save in a minor degree, to policies of the Labor government that would have been substantially differently applied if another party had been in power. To make the present crisis the excuse for an anti-Socialist campaign will hinder rather than help towards its solution."

The British economic storm has been brewing for a long time. For more than twenty years the country's imports have exceeded its exports. Even more fundamental is the national resistance to new methods of working or managing a business. Of late the business recession in the United States has curtailed our purchases of British goods, while the rise in American prices that followed the abolition of government controls in 1946 and 1947 has reduced the value of American money sent to England. The perspective of history will be needed to show whether the Socialist experiments contributed to Britain's difficulties or only helped to focus the attention of the world on them. Even if Labor is guiltless, it would not be surprising if the British voters in the next election, took out their disappointment by voting against the government. But that would not automatically bring prosperity back.

START ON IMPROVEMENT

A small start is to be made on improvement of the government according to the basis outlined by the Hoover Commission on Government Reorganization, despite the Senate rejection of the President's first set of reorganization plans, his proposal to establish a Department of Welfare. Two other proposals of lesser significance were given approval, and still lesser ones become effective without argument. The reorganization which now can be done consists of reassigning a few government functions with respect to departments or offices under which they fall. This may seem minor, but as a matter of fact much could be accomplished by a thoroughgoing sifting of functions in that manner. Much of the senseless duplication would show up and be eliminated in such a sifting. Both better service and less expensive operation might be achieved by careful grouping of government activities for logic and efficiency. The government reforms which are to be made this year, small though they may be, move in that direction.

So at least a bit of official assistance is given toward keeping the idea of government reform alive. Spreading rapidly over the nation

THE WORD GETS AROUND

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is an organized movement to keep the Hoover Commission report in the public eye. Perhaps there is still hope for the achievement of a sensibly efficient government at Washington.

ADDITION TO HISTORY

"The greatest discovery in English literary history" was the term applied to the find of previously unknown letters and manuscripts of James Boswell, whose life of Dr. Samuel Johnson is one of the great masterpieces in the biographical field. This find was made piecemeal over a period of ten years and more, from old boxes and storage rooms in an Irish castle and a Scottish one. The collection has now been given to Yale University by the purchaser, Col. H. Isham of New York City. It includes 2,200 letters to Boswell, 600 letters by him, and a notebook with entries covering 50 years. Most of this material is utterly new; the plan is to publish it in 40 or more volumes. This should add to our knowledge of such eighteenth century figures as Oliver Goldsmith, the author of "The Vicar of Wakefield," Sir Joshua Reynolds, the painter; the actor David Garrick, and many others. It is interesting to speculate that things we do not know about our own times may some day be similarly revealed to future scholars.

WALLACE FOR SENATOR

Will Henry Wallace run for senator in New York? Rumors, chiefly Republican, say he will. The G. O. P. prophets obviously hope for a repetition of last year's national election in New York, when Wallace's half million votes were enough to nose President Truman out and give the state to Dewey. Michigan and Maryland were the other states in which Wallace was able to accomplish the feat of winning states for Dewey. He thus brought down the President's electoral vote from 375 to 303, raising the Dewey total from 117 to 189.

Whether Wallace would run better, or as well, in a special senatorial election may be doubted. The poor showing of the Progressive Party in the nation generally has rather cooled off his supporters. The party organization is inactive in some places. Certainly with a candidate less well known than Wallace, its showing presumably would be unimpressive.

STRIKERS AND THE LAW

Harry Bridges, who has been a storm center of West Coast shipping for many years, has introduced into the Hawaii dock strike an issue which at first glance seems entirely aside from the original issues of the labor dispute. And yet the new issue—whether labor leaders are subject to the law—was brought in so deliberately it seems naive to call it coincidence.

The government of Hawaii seized the struck docks and obtained a court injunction against picketing, so that it could attempt to get commerce moving again with its own stevedores. Bridges, head of the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, went to the docks and deliberately violated the injunction. He then informed authorities that if he were prosecuted for contempt of court the negotiations in the strike would be suspended until the case be settled and he be freed. The law and the courts, he seems to say, are for lesser people. What should authorities do under such circumstances? Should they bow to the situation and overlook the deliberate flouting of the law? Or should they fling the wilful violator in jail and let the negotiations go hang? Neither course appears ideal. The situation in Hawaii lends new force to the proposition that all labor disputes should be brought within the jurisdiction of the

Courthouse News

District Court.  
The following 11 indictments were returned by the grand jury Friday noon to A. P. Mays, district judge, before recessing subject to call after 1-2 days' deliberations.  
W. Frayley and Mrs. L. W. Frayley, murder, in connection with the fatal shooting of W. F. Hollie, field at Blooming Grove Aug. 7. Bond of \$5,000 was made.  
L. W. Frayley, assault with intent to murder, bond of \$3,000 made.  
Edward Jones, arson.  
Edwin Benjamin McGee, theft of cattle, two cases.  
Clarence May, incest, three cases.  
J. R. Butler, passing worthless check.  
Thomas Sidney Lindsey, burglary, two cases.  
Jesse Lee Bell vs. Mrs. Leola Bell, divorce granted.  
Samuel Matthew Stone vs. Callie Emma Stone, divorce granted.

District Clerk's Office.  
J. D. Prince vs. Byford Winn, damages.  
R. H. Mayo, Jr., et al vs. Mrs. Frances L. Mayo, divorce and habeas corpus.  
Ada Lee McAlister vs. James McAlister, divorce.  
Ex-Parte, Larry Gene Crawford, adoption.  
Jackie D. Riley vs. Willie Riley, divorce.  
Mrs. Elva Smith vs. Claude Smith, divorce.  
Booker T. Woods vs. Minnie Faye Woods, divorce.  
In Re: Jill Jacobs, a minor, adoption.  
Roy L. Pate vs. Doris Pate Barker et al habeas corpus.

County Court.  
Thomas Reagan entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated Saturday morning and was fined \$60 and costs by Joe D. Huffstatter, county judge.  
The will of Hattie Yaddell was admitted to probate.

Sheriff's Office.  
Deputies R. E. Jones and T. D. Salter arrested a white man at Blooming Grove Friday afternoon on an A.W.O.L. charge.  
Sheriff David Castles and Deputies Jones and Salter arrested two Rice men Saturday night on charges of violation of the prohibition laws.  
Jack Garner, Dawson peace officer, placed one man in the county jail Saturday on charges of intoxication.

Constable's Office.  
Constable Joe Allen arrested a drunk, a speeder, and shot to death one maddog.  
Constable Joe Allen and State Highway Patrolman H. E. Tucker arrested two Texas men Friday night. One was charged with driving while intoxicated, and the other for intoxication.  
Constable Joe Allen arrested one man for driving while intoxicated.

Marriage Licenses.  
J. W. Allen and Neoma Collins.  
Randal Grant and Lillie Marie Prayton.  
Steve Lindsey and Avis D. Jones.  
Laurmarie McMillan and Josie Harvey.  
Billy Dean Talley and Barbara Ann Tucker.  
Billy Elmer Watson and Billie Dell McGraw.  
E. O. Vest and Fannie Darden.  
C. C. Carroll and Mrs. Ruby Hanks.  
Seth Jones, Jr., and Mary England.  
D. L. Pierce, Jr., and Judith Smith.  
Otis Parham and Shirrell Holcomb.

Justice Court.  
Two persons were fined for highway violations by Judge J. W. Sheppard.  
Judge W. H. Johnson also fined two for highway violations.  
Judge J. W. Sheppard fined two men for intoxication and one for a highway violation. One complaint of driving while intoxicated was transcribed to county court.  
Judge W. H. Johnson transcribed a complaint of driving while intoxicated and two complaints of violation of the prohibition laws to county court.

County Attorney's Office.  
Complaints of aggravated assault and driving while intoxicated were accepted.  
County Attorney Charles Banish accepted two complaints of violation of the prohibition laws and one of driving while intoxicated.

Warranty Deeds.  
G. S. Holbrook et ux to William Robinson, 1.11 acres in Wiley Powell survey, \$6,300.  
L. M. Warren et ux to C. I. Rogers, part of block 489, \$5,000.  
John C. Calhoun to Joseph L. Helton, lot 2 in block 850 of Cal Kerr Annex addition, \$225.  
White King to T. Darden, part of lot 13, block 627, Corsicana, \$10 and other considerations.  
S. A. Sheppard et ux to S. F. Forman, part of John Richardson survey, \$875.  
Donner E. Gardner to Willie Franklin et ux, lot 20, block F, Parkdale Addition, \$300.  
A. W. Keathley et ux to R. F. Odum et ux, lot 6, block D, Hill addition, Corsicana, \$1,000 and other considerations.

Mrs. Charlie Campbell Beasley to Mrs. Minnie E. Brooks, one-sixth interest in two tracts in the G. W. Bragg survey and in lots 23, 24 in block 6, Powell, \$10 and other considerations.  
Don M. Brooks to B. F. Brooks, part of J. Ortiz survey, \$10 and other considerations.  
Florence E. Gardner to Willie Franklin et ux, lot 201 block F, Parkdale, \$300.  
Porter Horton et ux to W. D. Dickson, tracts in Thomas Jefferson Chambers Eight, League survey, Navarro and Bill, League survey, \$10 and other considerations.  
S. A. Sheppard et ux to S. F. Gorman, part of the John Richardson survey, \$875.  
Mrs. Wilbur A. Wright et vir to Mrs. Christine Warren Burke, part of lot 7, block 447, Corsicana, \$10 and other considerations.

Oil and Gas Leases.  
Alex Robinson et ux to L. G. Highnote et al, 69.231 acres, Robertson County, School Land, \$1.  
Brooks Hutchins et ux to R. D. Brooks, Jr., 100 acres W. A. Langham survey, \$10.  
Great Southern Life Insurance Co. to Ben G. Barnett, 14-1/2 acres Wilson Road survey, \$10.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.  
No Peaches After Tuesday  
Thanks to all our customers for their good business. We will have Kaffir Peas in October.  
McCLUNG FARM  
6 miles south on Highway 75.  
Phone 151324.

Miss Charlene Rivers Of Waco Is Married to Rev. Mr. Perdue In Ceremonies Held At Waco

Wearing a bridal gown that had been worn by her sisters at their weddings, and with her father, the Rev. W. W. Rivers reading the ceremony, Miss Charlene Rivers became the bride of the Rev. William G. Perdue of Ozona, pastor of the Mildred Baptist church, Tuesday evening at the Rivers home in Waco.  
Given in marriage by her brother, Major R. T. Rivers of Lafayette, La., the bride was attired in a floor-length white satin gown which was designed with yoke, long, tight-fitting sleeves and train of tulle embroidered with seed pearls. She carried white orchids encircled with stephanotis and tulle and showered with white satin streamers.  
Mrs. Bob Mayfield of Ft. Worth, matron of honor, and Miss Jackie Bramwell of Fabens, bridesmaid, who had been her college roommates, wore floor-length aqua taffeta with dropped neckline and full skirts. Their bouquets of pale pink anemones were tied with net and satin ribbon.  
Kenneth Perdue of Ozona was his brother's best man, and the Rev. Joe Poe of Cisco was groomsmen. Miss Marjory Frazier of Houston was soloist with Mrs. Victor Easter of Dallas, sister of the bride, at the piano.  
White gladioli and asters decorated the home, and the houseparty for the reception included the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Rivers, Major and Mrs. Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. Easter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Segrest and Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Williams, Jr., of Waco. Mesdames Easter, Segrest and Williams are sisters of the bride.  
The bride attended Mary Hardin Baylor College, received her degree B. A. from Baylor University and was a member of honorary art and educational fraternities. The bridegroom has attended Howard Payne college, Brownwood, and holds a B. A. degree from Baylor University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Perdue of Ozona.  
The Rev. and Mrs. Perdue will make their home in Corsicana after a trip to the Grand Canyon and Salt Lake City. For traveling, Mrs. Perdue wore a dark green suit with coffee accessories.

Kerens Students Receive Degrees

KERENS, Aug. 26.—(Spl.)—Three Kerens young people were among the large group to receive degrees at the graduation exercises of Baylor University last Thursday night. They were Miss Patricia Newsome, who received a Bachelor of Science degree; Miss Jo Ann Smith, who received a Bachelor of Music, and Jack Bain was awarded a Bachelor of Business Administration. Those from Kerens attending the exercises were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bain, Miss Mary Frances Weedin, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bain, Jr., and children, Joyce Ann, Kenneth.

IN AND OUT OF SERVICE

Pvt. Jimmie M. Turner, 17, of Corsicana, has reported to Lackland Air Force base at San Antonio, Texas, to begin the AF basic airman indoctrination course. Thirteen weeks of basic training will prepare him for entrance into technical training and for assignment in specialized work. Kenneth and Georgia Kay; Rev. and Mrs. Milton O. Davis and daughter, Judy; Mrs. Wade J. Price, Mrs. H. N. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

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New 1949 Pontiac 4-Door Sedan.

Tractors

See the New Oliver Fleet Tractors, The Oliver 66-77-88—Let us demonstrate these Tractors on your farm. Try them in your field before you buy, and be satisfied—Remember that Oliver is the finest in farm machinery.

FERGUSON  
We have been appointed Ferguson dealers for Navarro County. See this tractor now on display. Has 4-cylinder Red Seal wet sleeve Continental Engine, overhead valves—21-77 draw-bar horse power.

J.A. Penney Implement Co.

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## Blooming Grove Revival Meeting Now In Progress

The revival meeting now in progress at the Central Baptist church in Blooming Grove continues to grow in spirit and in number. The building was filled to capacity on Sunday evening, and a comfortable chair was moved into the auditorium.

Jack Goff of North Side, Corsicana, is doing the preaching. Joe Walsh of the Central Baptist Church, Fort Worth, is directing the music.

The pastor, Rev. Glenn Bolch, and the people of Blooming Grove extend to the public a cordial welcome to attend these revival services, which will continue through Sunday, Sept. 4th.

Reporter.

## Local Drivers Win Five First Places In Jalopy Races

Corsicana drivers took five of seven first places in the jalopy races held at the track west of Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

An additional feature, a ladies race, was won by Lois Spence of Corsicana.

The results:

Helmet Dash—Buck Drinning, Dallas.

First Heat—Richard Valentine, Corsicana, first; C. Sullivan, Gatesville, second; Billy Williams, Corsicana, third.

Second Heat—Billy Ford, Corsicana, first; Robert Owens, Corsicana, second; Cecil Dodson, Dallas, third.

Third Heat—Allen Bridges, Dallas, first; Frank Chapman, Corsicana, second; Buck Drinning, Dallas, third.

Consolations — Johnny Simon, Corsicana, first; Eugene Sparkman, Corsicana, second; Tommy Ross, Corsicana, third.

Sweepstakes — Billy Williams, Corsicana, first; Robert Owens, Corsicana, second; Richard Valentine, Corsicana, third; Cecil Dodson, Dallas, fourth.

Ladies Race—Lois Spence, Corsicana, first; Gerry Drinning, Dallas, second; Delma Mooneyhan, Corsicana, third.

Navarro Junior College Honor Roll Announced

Navarro Junior College honor roll for the second semester of summer school, listing four students, as making the highest grades among the enrolled students, was released Saturday.

The purpose of the honor list is to commend officially those students who made two A's during the second six weeks' semester, according to a statement from the office of Gaston T. Goodrich, registrar.

The regular load for the summer school is two three-semester-hour courses each six weeks. Students are not eligible for the honor roll unless they are carrying the regular load.

Students making A's in both courses for which they were registered are: Welton A. Reed, Alton C. Pickering, Mrs. Mary Catherine Herring and Charlene Adams.

Informal graduation exercises were held at the college auditorium Friday morning when ten received diplomas as follows:

Jack K. Bradley, Rice; Harold Bruce Chrisman, Kerens; George M. Darden, Purdon; Dewey Gilbert Jones, Corsicana; Joseph Pearson, Corsicana; Welton A. Reed, Corsicana; Glenn Steward, Corsicana; Elmo Tramel, Kerens; John A. Watson, Corsicana; and Carl Edwin Willard, Wortham.

Deputy Sheriff Approved Friday By Commissioners

Approval of a special deputy who is also a nightwatchman for Blooming Grove and a discussion of consolidating certain voting precincts featured a special session of the commission court Friday afternoon.

The court meets again Monday in a hearing for the 1950 budget expenditures.

H. S. Whorton and Miller Reed, representing the Blooming Grove luncheon club, requested the court to allow C. L. Burns as a nightwatchman and deputy sheriff. The county is to pay \$25 per month and the luncheon club is to pay \$50 to the county, making a salary of \$75 per month. The motion was approved by the commission court Friday afternoon.

David Castles' application for the deputations of F. D. Salter, regular deputy, and C. L. Burns, special deputy, were approved.

All members of the court were present.

House Damaged By Fire Sunday

Fire of undetermined nature destroyed approximately \$1,500 damage to a house and contents at 837 South Main street at 10:10 a. m. Sunday, according to Fire Chief Howard Bivins. The chief said the fire was caused by a cigarette.

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NEW DEMOCRATIC SECRETARY—J. E. Wheat (above) of Woodville has been appointed secretary of the Texas Democratic Executive Committee. He succeeds Tom Tyson of Corsicana, who died June 2. Wheat is a lawyer in Woodville. Gov. Allan Shivers home town. His appointment is subject to the approval of the state committee which meets Oct. 1 at LaGrange. (AP Photo.)

## Texan Receives College Degree On 68th Birthday

COMMERCE, Aug. 29.—(AP)—William L. Oliver of Van, Texas, stepped up to get his degree of Bachelor of Science on his 68th birthday.

He was one of 714 who were graduated from East Texas State Teachers College yesterday. It was the largest class in the school's 60-year-old history.

For 38 years Oliver has taught in rural schools. He started to college back in 1904 with only \$12 in his pockets. "I've had a lot of setbacks, but I never gave up," he said.

The setbacks included a 1929 bank failure, the depression of the '30s, and destruction of his home by fire in 1945.

"I teach because I like it. I love children and like to be with them," said Oliver. His posthumous title is at Queen City, Cass county.

He has taught in Denton, Johnson and Wood counties. He and his four brothers added up 123 years of Texas teaching.

Younger brother Ben, now at Brownwood, has taught 44 years; Windell is Van Zandt county superintendent, with 24 years teaching; J. M. of Canton, has taught 14 years; S. H. of Fort Worth, 14 years; and John, now at Johnson, has taught 14 years.

John Ben Sheppard, Gladewater attorney, addressed the graduates.

Ab Soap Jr. Dies Monday Morning; Funeral Tuesday

Ab Soap, Jr., of Corsicana died in McCloskey General Hospital at 7:30 o'clock Monday morning.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Griffin Funeral Chapel with burial in the Hamilton cemetery.

The rites will be conducted by Rev. Lester Morris of Baytown. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Opal Soap; a daughter, Diane Soap; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Soap, Sr.; all of Corsicana; and a sister, Mrs. Valta Martin, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Robert Stell Funeral Rites Held Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Robert Stell, aged 76 years, who died in a Dallas hospital Friday, were held from the McComman Funeral Chapel Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Dr. Matthew Arnold, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Stell was a pioneer resident of Corsicana, and was prominent in the Presbyterian church. Surviving are two sons, Ralph Stell, Corsicana, and Robert Stell, Houston; a niece, Miss Marie Waltham, Corsicana; four grandchildren, two sons, Mrs. Hettie Dashell, Jewett, and Mrs. John K. Emerson, Greeley, Colo.; a brother, Edward Waltham, Waxahatchie, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. L. L. King, Elliott, Halsey Settle and Edward M. Polk.

Honorary pallbearers were friends of the family.

Mrs. Blanchard Dies Saturday; Rites On Sunday

WORTHAM, Aug. 29.—(Sp.)—Mrs. Rachel Blanchard, aged 87 years, life-long resident of Freestone county and this community, died at her home in Streetman Saturday morning.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Burleson Funeral chapel with burial in the Wortham cemetery. The rites were conducted by her pastor, Rev. M. O. Southland of the First Baptist church of Streetman, assisted by Rev. McChesack of Teague and Rev. M. L. Richards of Wortham.

Surviving are four daughters, Miss Lila Blanchard, Streetman; Miss Tom Griffin, Houston; Mrs. Mae Morton, Mexico; and Mrs. W. V. Harrison, Harold McClellan, Corsicana; 18 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Reserved Seat Holders Asked To Exercise Option

Those football fans here who held reserved seats for the game at Tiger Field last year were asked Saturday to exercise their options before Tuesday night, August 30, if they desire the same seats in 1950.

Jack Stroube, chairman of the reserved seat drive, said that those who fail to do so by that date will find their tickets on general sale at the Navarro Hotel Saturday, Sept. 3.

Holders can reserve their old seats by calling Stroube at 1827 before Tuesday night.

Frost Faculty For Year Announced

FROST, Aug. 27.—The following faculty will be in charge of the local schools when the 1949-50 term opens Tuesday, Sept. 13:

Truman Newman, superintendent; Charles Martin, Elizabeth Slater, D. B. Palmer, O. K. Venson, Mrs. Mabel McClure, Miss Lena Beth Langford, Mrs. Mary Hill Warren, Beatrice Jones, Mrs. Willie Mae Mason and Mrs. Charles Martin.

Negro teachers are Freeman Robinson, Bertha McMullen, Emma Mae Johnson, Mrs. Freeman Robinson and Elizabeth Orr.

Lauder Is Better

STRATHAVEN, Scotland, Aug. 26.—(AP)—Sir Harry Lauder, Scottish comedian who is seriously ill at his home here, was reported today to have had a fairly comfortable night. He is suffering from blood clots on the brain, and uremia.

Waco Couple Wed

James M. Hollis and Peggy Gaslineau, both of Waco, were married at the home of Justice of the Peace W. H. Johnson here on Friday night, August 26.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. J. H. Stroder. We shall always remember with deep gratitude your comforting words and words of sympathy.

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HEALTH UNIT

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Only low road districts will require levy of taxes this year for maintenance of the roads.

Cunningham said, considering the fact that the state pays much of the bonds and interest. A sufficient surplus is available in all districts except 5 and 7.

## Health Unit Apprehended By County Officers

Sheriff's officers put out of commission Saturday night a "traveling saloon" which had been operating in the northern section of Navarro county.

Sheriff David Castles, with deputies Dick Salter and E. E. Jones, arrested a white man and a negro man on charges of violation of the prohibition laws in connection with the operation of a "traveling saloon." The men were placed under bond of \$750 each.

Castles said that the officers arrived on the scene, a private residence near R. R. station at North Beaton street, and found a crowd assembled around a station wagon at the house. In the car officers found a quantity of beer led down in a tub, together with a large amount of state bond liquor.

Upon searching the house, Castles said officers found more beer, similarly cooled, and more wine and liquor, warm but potent.

NOKES RESIGNS

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This, I feel that I should resign my seat in the Legislature in order to let the people of Navarro County select their own representative.

Representative Nokes, who is representative of the 58th District at the special election which has already been called on November 8, said he was a considerable sum of money, and will enable the people of Navarro County to have continuous representation in the Legislature.

In response to my candidacy for the State Senate has been very encouraging, and I am highly gratified with the expressions of the people of this District. I am confident that the people of the Sixth District will promote me to the State Senate, and I want to make it as convenient as possible for the people of Navarro County to select their next representative.

TERRELL, Tex., Aug. 29.—(AP)—Phil Willis, who seeks a state senatorial place from the Sixth District, has announced his resignation as State Representative from Kaufman county.

A special election Nov. 8 will name a successor to Jim Taylor of Kerens, resigned to take a private job. Willis said yesterday he was confident of winning; that he had resigned so his successor in the House could be chosen in the same election.

The Sixth District includes Anderson, Kaufman, Henderson, Navarro and Freestone counties.

AUSTIN, Aug. 29.—(AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers today announced special elections Nov. 8 to fill representative vacancies in District 52, Kaufman county, and District 58, Navarro county.

The vacancies came with resignations in a letter to the governor dated Aug. 27, from Rep. George Nokes of Corsicana and in a telegram dated Aug. 28 from Rep. Phillip L. Wilson of Kaufman.

Both are candidates for the senate. Post, vacated by the resignation of James Taylor of Kerens.

Nokes said in his letter that so little time exists between the November election and the next proposed session of the legislature, that it would be to the disadvantage of the people in my district to elect my successor at the special election in November.

Willis' telegram said a letter would follow.

Funeral Services Held At Fairfield For Mrs. Shanks

FAIRFIELD, Aug. 29.—(Sp.)—Mrs. Lourana Shanks, 74, wife of James Luther Shanks, died Sunday afternoon, Aug. 21. Funeral services were held at the graveside in Cotton Gin cemetery Monday afternoon, Aug. 22, at 5 o'clock. Rev. L. McChesack of Teague, Rev. Blackmon, Point Enterprise, Rev. G. W. Elmore and Rev. R. R. Anderson of Fairfield officiated.

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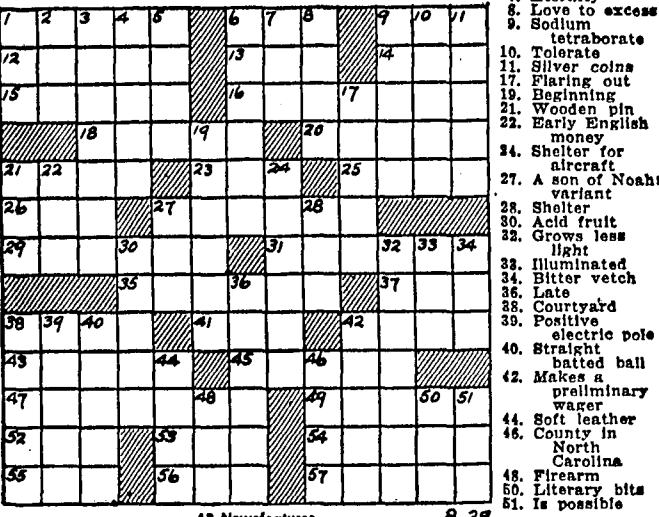
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  3. Spoiled
  4. Sheeplike
  5. Court
  6. West Indian
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  8. Intervening
  9. Spur range of the Rockies
  10. Escape by
  11. Rain hard
  12. Excavation of disgust
  13. Howling tools
  14. Blunder
  15. Robe
  16. Triangular end

DOWN

1. Pine leaf
2. Come out into view
3. Manner
4. Tropical tree
5. Beverage
6. Wiles
7. Negative ion
8. Implement for turning
9. Amount of weight a vessel may carry
10. Water vapor
11. Small dish
12. Play on words
13. Reddish-orange
14. Above: poetic
15. Insect
16. Literary composition

Solution Friday's Puzzle

- DOWN
1. Policeman
  2. Hall and
  3. Sudden sharp pain
  4. Eternity
  5. Love to excess
  6. Sodium
  7. Collaborate
  8. Tolerate
  9. Silver coins
  10. Flaring out
  11. Beginning
  12. Wooden pin
  13. Early English money
  14. Shelter for aircraft
  15. A son of Noah's variant
  16. Acid fruit
  17. Grows less light
  18. Illuminated
  19. Bitter vetch
  20. Courtyard
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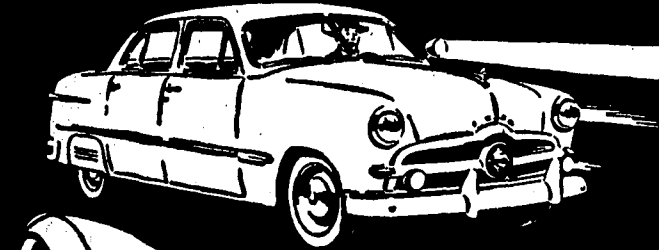
## After Forty-Two Years of Teaching School, Pat Geraughty Is Retiring

Pat Geraughty is retiring after 42 years in public office and teaching. He is moving to his home, 602 North Beaton street, and will spend considerable time fishing—both here and at a site on the Texas coast, while he will also look after a farm in the Rio Grande Valley. Geraughty has taught 42 years—all in Navarro county and hold public office 10 years—also all in Navarro county. A native of Alabama, he came to Navarro county when nine years of age. His public office service includes four years as clerk of the district court, four years as justice of the peace, Precinct 1, Place 2, and two years as a member of the Texas legislature.

## Announce School Registration Dates; Additional Information For Students

School registration dates, advice to new students and other information on the opening of the 1949-50 fall term have been released by local educational officials. Supt. W. H. Norwood made this announcement relative to elementary grade students: "Elementary grade students who have not attended the Corsicana schools previously, and all first grade students who did not attend the pre-school session last spring, should report to the principal of the elementary school of the district in which they reside Friday morning, September 2, to get instructions for opening of school registration. "Children who have attended the elementary grades in Corsicana prior to this year and the first grade children who did attend the pre-school session in the spring, need not visit their principals in advance of the opening date of school, September 6. "The principals of the elementary schools are Mrs. Irene Price, Sam Houston; C. T. Garrett, Wm. B. Travis; Miss Sarah Holman, Robert B. Lee; Mrs. Beula Huff, David Crockett; Miss Alleen Caraway, Stephen; Austin; R. C. Marshall, Zion's Rest. "From H. C. (Pete) Allen, principal, came this statement about Junior High School registration: "Junior High School registration dates are as follows: "Tuesday, August 30, 8:30 a. m., ninth grade students (those who will take two or more ninth grade level subjects.) "Wednesday, August 31, 8:30 a. m., eighth grade students (those who will take less than two ninth grade level subjects.) "Registration will be in the junior high school auditorium. "New students should bring their records and report to the principal's office at the junior high school sometime before August 30. This does not include those who attended Corsicana or Zion's Rest schools last year. Allen said. "High School Principal R. A. Armistead announced: "Students who will attend Corsicana High School for the first time should report immediately for a conference. This does not include, however, those students who attended Corsicana Junior High School last year. "The registration schedule at CHS follows: "Seniors, Tuesday morning, August 30; juniors, Wednesday morning, August 31; sophomores, Thursday morning, September 1. "Armistead said meetings will be held in the CHS auditorium at 8:30 a. m. daily preceding registration so that schedule possibilities may be explained and numbers drawn to determine the order of registrations. "The high school office is now open and the principal available for conferences with parents or students regarding schedules and problems," Armistead said.

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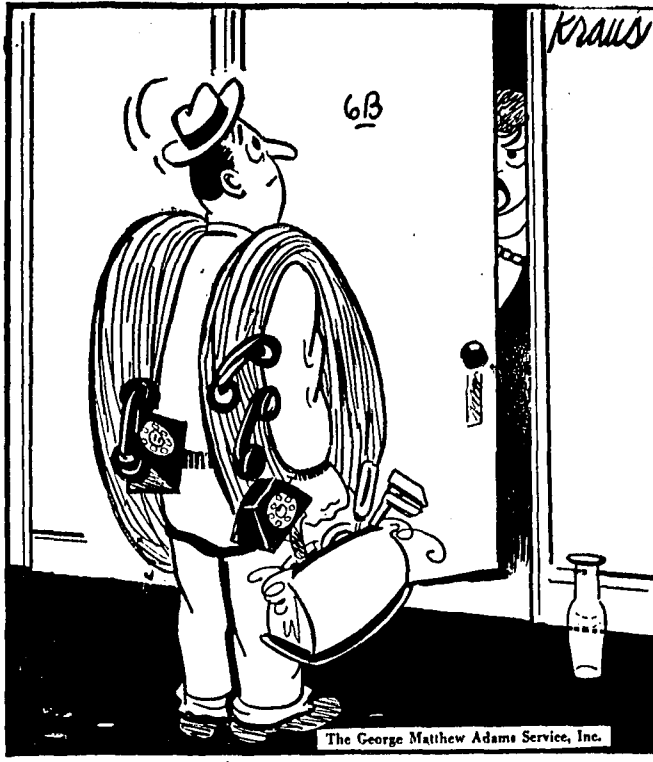
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## Payment Of Taxes Be Delayed Due School Changes

There is a possibility that the payment of current taxes will not be started on October 1 by property owners, A. A. Armstrong, assessor and collector of taxes, reported Saturday. The rolls will likely be completed in time to begin payments by October 15. W. V. Mowlam, county surveyor, developed a map of Navarro county showing all of the school districts under the changes necessitated by the Glimmer-Aikin legislation and subsequent resolutions and orders passed by the Navarro county board of education.

The tax officer said that his official family had done as much preliminary work as possible but could not proceed with the final part of the tax rolls until the maps and field notes of the newly-created and changed districts become available.

The official school map will probably not be submitted to the county board of education until its September meeting, J. C. Watson, county school superintendent, stated Saturday.

## Eat With Brewer—South Highway 75

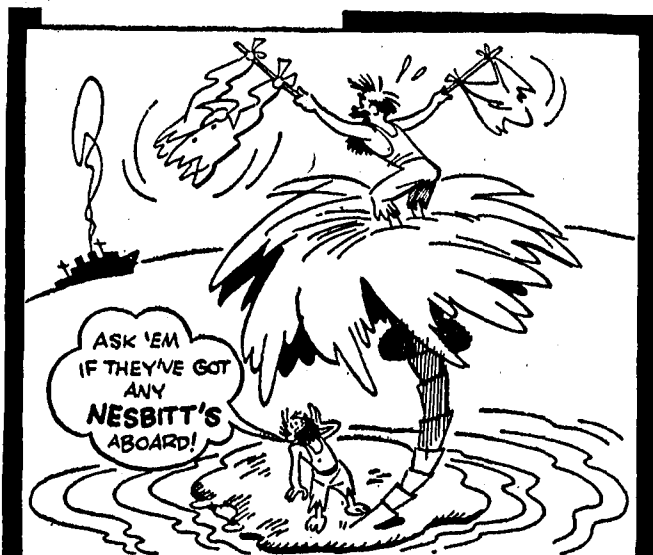
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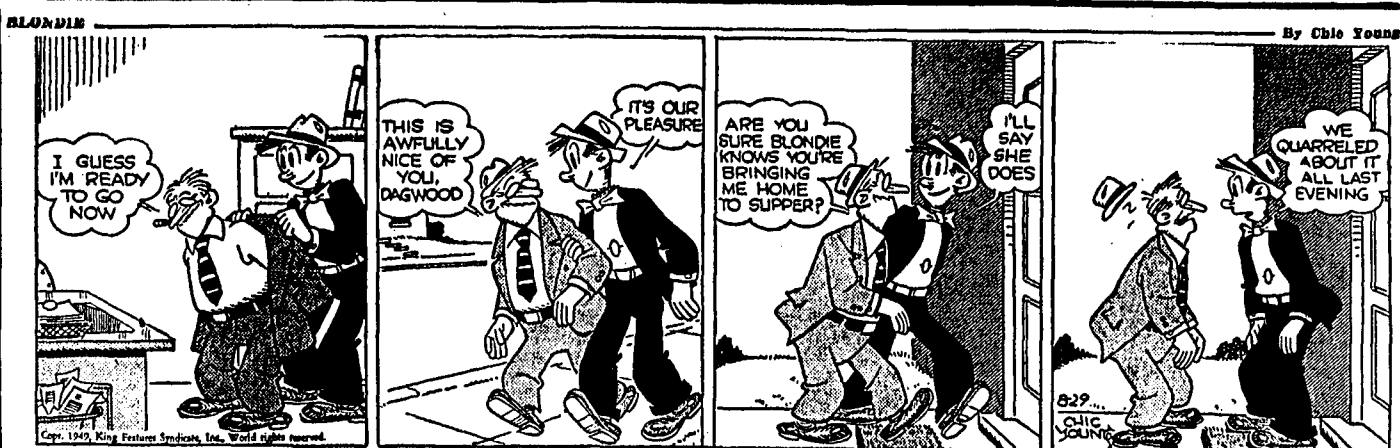
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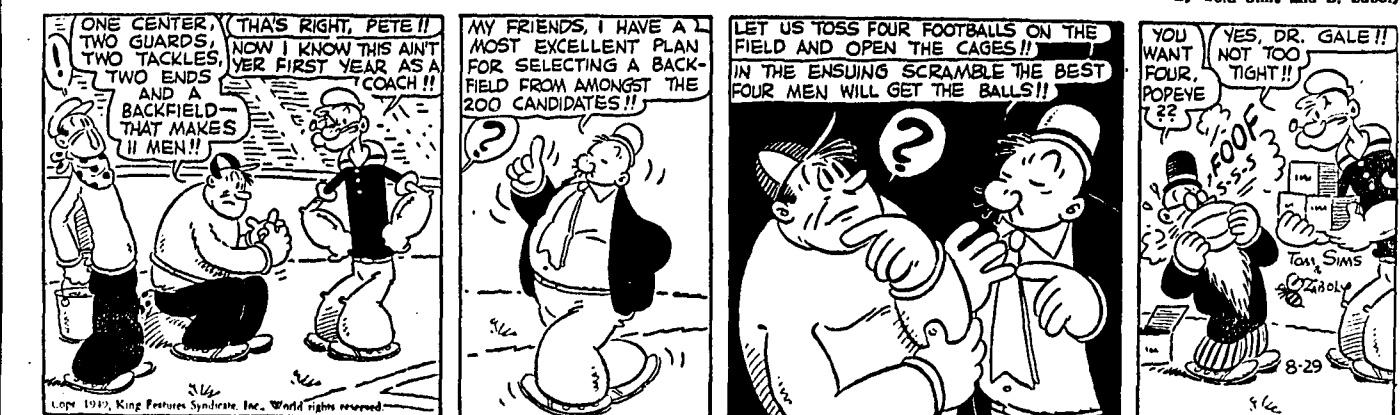


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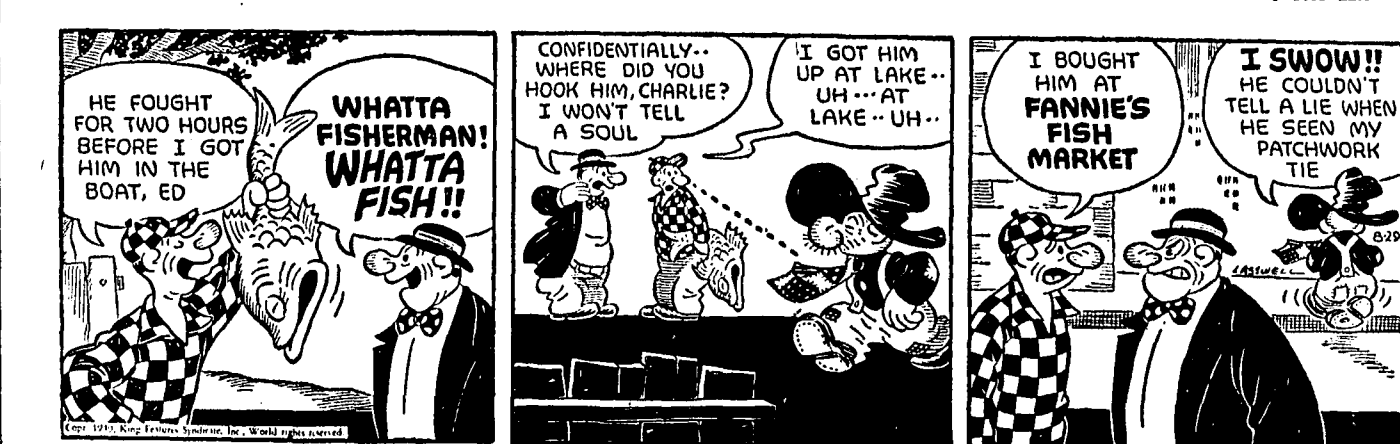
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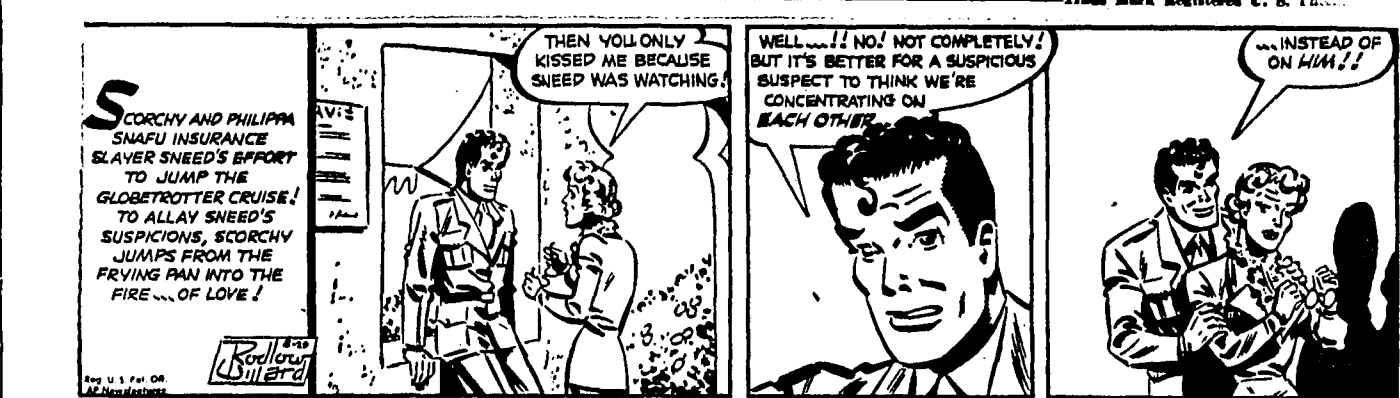
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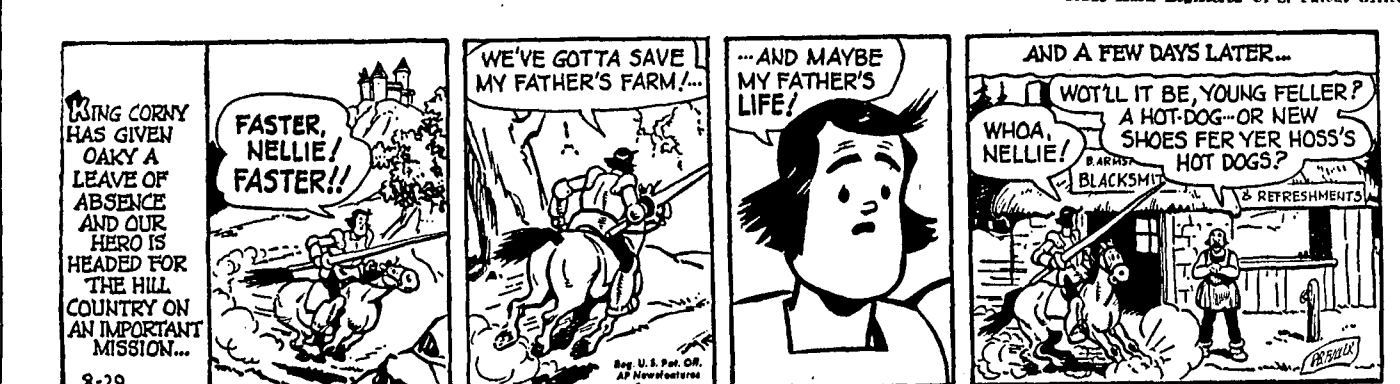
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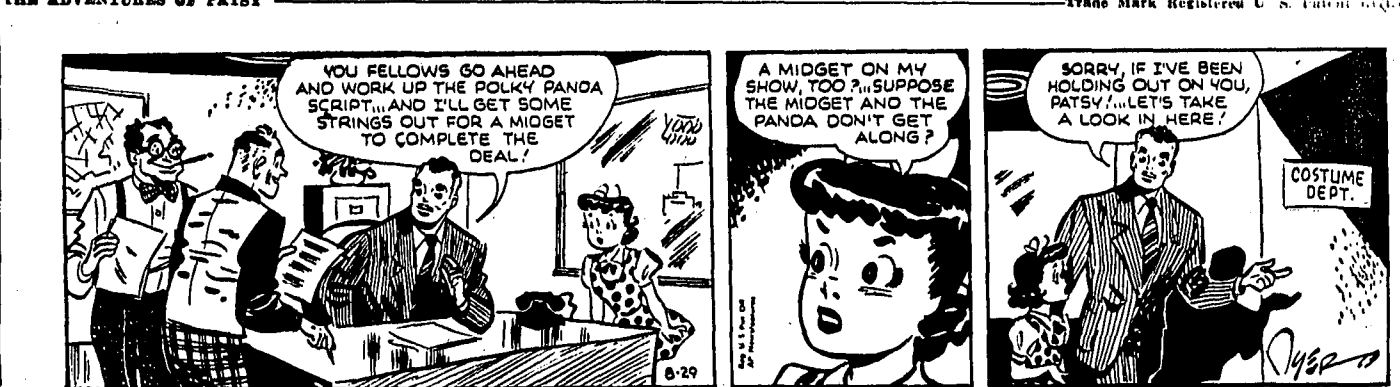
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# Barbecue Picnic Held By Aggies Thursday Night

By PAUL MOORE  
Sun Sports Editor

Harry Stittler, head football coach at Texas A. and M. College, predicted that the Texas Aggies will be a better ball club in 1949 than in 1948, but also admitted that some of the other Southwest conference opponents also will be more powerful.

Stittler was the principal speaker at a chicken barbecue picnic held by the Navarro County Texas Aggie Club Thursday night at the Corsicana Country Club Lake. Wives were guests of the Aggies.

W. C. (Bud) O'Neal, president of the club, presided, while W. L. David was in charge of the program and presented Barlow (Bones) Irvin, athletic director, who then introduced the head coach.

"reconstruction period in athletics" at Angleton and predicted the fans and exes of Texas A. and M. will see success within the near future.

In the beginning of his remarks, the gray-haired mentor asserted that coaching was fun, but the decisions required are many times tough and difficult.

Stittler declared that he did not want to be known as "character builder" when he lost, but wanted to teach the boys to win—"be good losers if we have to—but we want to be winners." Then he said the boys reporting to his club had sufficient character.

The 1949 Aggie club will be speedier than last year's but will be lacking in experience—composed mostly of sophomores with two or three seniors.

"Bobby Dev of Corsicana will make us a fine season if his knee comes around," Stittler stated. (Dev and his wife were present.)

Then the head coach asserted that Dew was the finest defensive back at A. and M. in 1947. He was out last year with a hurt knee. He declared that some of the losses of last year had been due to different had Dew been in the lineup at his top form.

Turning to the line prospects, the Aggie head master said that three tackles and three guards were lacking and would be replaced by new men.

"We have some freshmen backs who can run, but the question is what about the mistakes on defense," Stittler related, and then said the coaching staff at A. and M. hope for an improved season this year and then "start up later."

Stittler said many fine freshman linemen were promised this year. He said he hoped to have only to attract those boys calculated to help the club, and does not subscribe to the practice he intimated some other schools follow in getting all the boys possible. He said this was a bad condition, too, since the boys kept on the bench became dissatisfied when they want to play.

Stittler will employ the T formation in the conference this year except Southern Methodist and Texas Christian.

Baylor, Rice, SMU and TCU have senior ball clubs.

Stittler conducted a question and answer period dealing with various angles and conditions in which the Aggies were interested.

Aggie athletic officials returned to College Station Thursday night.

The Keens had charge of the barbecue.

# Donnie Teer of Wortham Honored Houston Banquet

WORTHAM, Aug. 28.—(Sp.)—Donnie Teer, local high school student, was awarded the certificate and key, state Future Farmer degree at the area 9 Award Night banquet held at San Jacinto Inn, Houston, Tuesday evening.

The Houston banquet was sponsored by the area vocational agriculture teachers association.

The Wortham FFA chapter was awarded a certificate of merit for winning first honors in the area FFA April judging contest at Huntsville. John J. Stubbs, a member of the team, accepted the award on behalf of the other members, Pat Gorman and Bobby Pruitt.

Among the Wortham residents attending the Houston meeting other than Teer were Stubbs, G. C. Williams, vocational agriculture teacher, and L. B. T. Sikes, superintendent of schools.

Other Wortham boys, coached by Williams, who have won the State Farmer (Lone Star Farmer) degree are Franklin Calame, Donnie Calame, Rufus Miller, W. H. Dodger, Jr., Wendell Collier, Joe K. Tyner, Harbottle Hall, J. D. Watson and Clinton Magness.

# Mildred H-D Club Meeting Is Held

The Mildred Home Demonstration Club met in regular session August 24th at the City Park. Thirteen members were present, in addition to members of the Carbet Club, who were guests for the afternoon.

The meeting was opened with the introduction of the club members and guests.

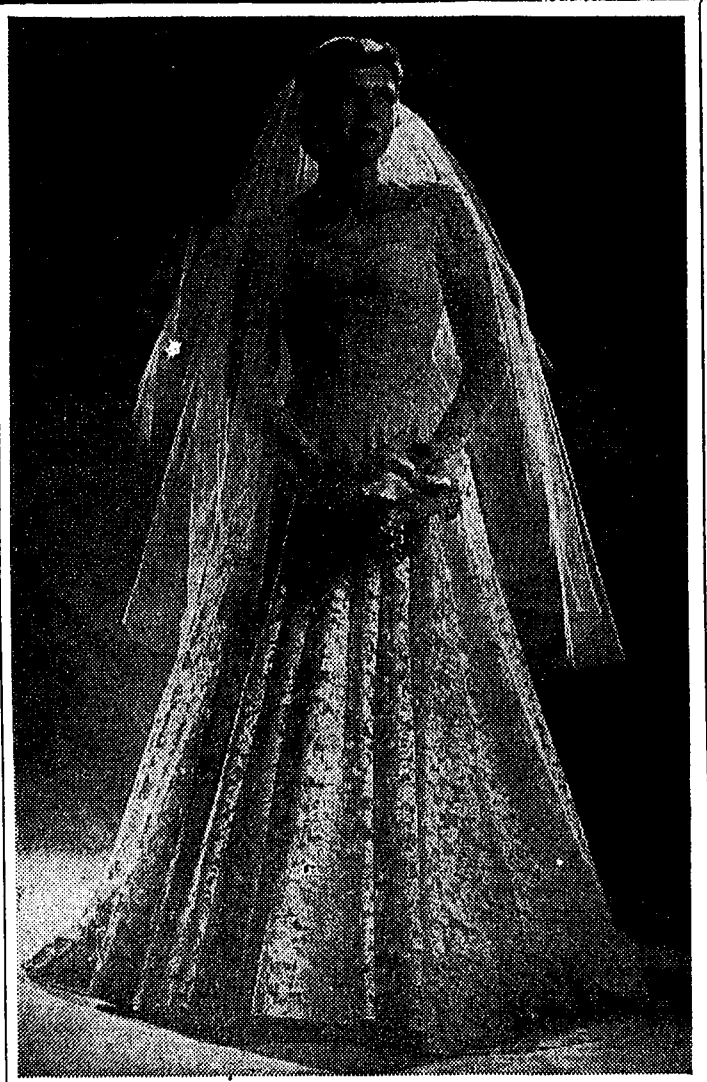
A series of games was played, a refreshment plate with sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cake was served with cold drinks.

The next meeting of the Mildred organization will be held at the home of O. Hubert Elder on September 14th.

# Jack Westbrook Receives Degree

KERENS, Aug. 26.—(Sp.)—Jack W. Westbrook of Kerens will receive the degree of bachelor of science in Business Administration, at Texas A. and M. College Saturday.

Westbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Westbrook of Kerens, was executive officer of the college band and vice president of the Navarro County Club during his senior year. He will also receive a second master's degree in the United States Air Force.



MRS. CLYDE E. JOHNSON

# MISS ANN SCARBOROUGH WEDS CLYDE E. JOHNSON IN RITES HELD AT HER MOTHER'S HOME

In a candlelight ceremony Saturday evening, Miss Ann Scarborough, daughter of Mrs. Hawkins Scarborough and the late Judge Hawkins Scarborough, and Clyde E. Johnson, son of Mrs. E. D. King of Memphis, Tenn., exchanged marriage vows at the home of the bride's mother, with the Rev. J. B. Sharp, associate pastor of First Methodist Church, as officiant.

The impressive double-ring rites were read before the living room mantle which was banked with garlands of trailing huckleberry foliage and centered with a massive arrangement of white plum chrysanthemums and gladioli. Matching baskets of white chrysanthemums and gladioli flanked the arrangement and added further to the effectiveness of the home altar. The setting was illumined with the soft radiance of white cathedral tapers which burned in golden floor candelabra to complement the bride and groom. The tapers were lighted by Paul Miller, uncle of the bride.

The traditional bridal motif of white and green was developed in distinctive arrangements of white blossoms and natural foliage about the reception suite, and a cluster of snowy blossoms adorned the white satin prie-dieu upon which the couple knelt during the ceremony.

Mrs. O. W. Holmes was at the piano for a prelude of love songs, and played accompaniments for Mrs. Aline Trimble who sang "Through the Years" and "I Love Thee." Mrs. Holmes also played the traditional wedding march as a processional.

Given in Marriage by Brother The bride given in marriage by her brother, Hawkins Scarborough, Jr., was gowned in exquisite Chantilly lace over rustling tulle with its full circular skirt falling over hoops to floor-length. The sculptured bodice terminated in a point and extended up around the sheer yoke in scalloped design, and the long, fitted sleeves tapered to points over the hands. The veil of misty imported illusion, gathered very full and in three tiers, floated from a crownless calot of matching lace. The bride used a white lace handkerchief that had been carried by her grandmother and great-grandmother in their weddings, and wore an antique gold locket that had been used by a witch of her late maternal grandfather, Dr. T. A. Miller. She carried a prayerbook overlaid with sunset orchids and showered with ivory carnations and matching satin ribbons.

Attendants Miss Carolyn Kelton, maid of honor, wore poudre blue shadow print, and Miss Winifred Rankin, bridesmaid, wore yellow marquisette. Their gowns were designed with fitted bodices, flared skirts, bolero jackets styled with pointed collars, and three-quarter length sleeves. They carried French bouquets of anemone lilies, encircled with nylon tulle, and tied with pink satin ribbons, and wore clusters of the chosen blossoms as coiffure adornment.

Paul Moore served the bridegroom as best man.

The bride's mother wore an olive green crepe dinner dress with bronze accessories and a corsage of sunset spray orchids. The bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Major Griffin of Jonesboro, Ark., was attired in a yellow crepe formal, with contrasting accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Informal Reception An informal reception followed the ceremony. The bride's table was laid in Italian outwork and held as its central decor a profusion of white asters, carnations and chrysanthemums in an antique silver vase. Also noted on the table was a small blossom-filled cutglass bowl that had belonged to the bride's late grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Scarborough.

The wedding cake, of double-ring contour and embellished with sugar-spun leaves and orchids, was in charge of Mrs. Dean Milkes, Mrs. C. H. Welch presided at the punch service and Miss Carolyn Bule registered guests in the bride's book. Mesdames Thos. M. George, III, and Will Miller assisted at the dining room, and Miss Betty Pierce contributed a planispheric background.

When Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left for points in Louisiana, Arkansas, and Tennessee, the bride was wearing a cinnamon Charman rabardine tulle, sequin-embellished crocheted cloche of matching color, black accessories and an orchid corsage. Upon their return, they will be at home at 518 South Fifth Street.

# Gertrude Patrick Given Farewell Party Thursday

Members of the Camp Fire board entertained with an al fresco farewell party at the City Park Thursday evening in compliment to Miss Gertrude Patrick, former executive, who is leaving Sept. 1 to assume her new duties as executive of Corpus Christi Camp Fire Girls. Blue Birds, Camp Fire Girls, members of the board and friends of the honoree comprised the personnel.

The evening's program opened with the Unwaho group leading the assembly in singing "The Call of the Fire," "Wanica," "Witchcraft," and an original song by Mrs. A. A. Allred, the wives of which were written for the occasion.

"Gertrude, Gertrude, here's a toast to you, You are the best by every test, We bid you fond adieu, Farewell Gertrude, May God attend your way, May honor and wealth, joy and health be with you every day."

Skit Presented. Members of the Unwaho group lighted the ending with a skit titled "An Animated Human Auto," which provided an interlude of fun.

Mrs. Will Miller, leader of the Oeko group, paid tribute to Miss Patrick in well-chosen words, stating that she had known her for many years, had enjoyed teaching her in the local schools, and had also enjoyed contacts with her in Blue Bird Camp Fire organizations in Corsicana.

Attention was called to the increase in membership during Miss Patrick's five years of service to Camp Fire. She spoke of the Blue Bird and Camp Fire programs in the negro schools, and of the incorporation of the Athens Blue Bird and Camp Fire groups in the local community.

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Personal gifts from the Unwaho and Oadaka groups and refreshments were served. In conclusion the girls joined hands in a friendship circle and sang "Green Trees" and "Gone With the Sun."

The bride was graduated from Corsicana High School, attended Harding College at Searcy, Ark., Abilene Christian College and received her Bachelor of Science degree at Texas State College for Women, with a major in music education. She was a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, national music society, Mu Eta Adelphean and Phi Kappa Phi, and was a member of the Corsicana public schools during the past year.

The bridegroom was graduated from Jonesboro, Ark. High School and attended Arkansas State College, also at Jonesboro. He was affiliated with Kappa Alpha Phi, social fraternity. He is now a member of the Houston State College's eighth annual twirling clinic. The clinic will be attended by a colorful array of 370 twirlers and drum majors from 12 states who will arrive in Houston Tuesday camp Sunday afternoon to begin the week's activities.

A staff of 30 instructors from all over the nation, including one man who does a twirling act on stage, will be with the students from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. each day and then conduct homework for the students each evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

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Also on the staff will be Patsy Livingston Haraway of Orange, Sam Houston State major and twirler, who will demonstrate her specialty of keeping three batons in the air at the same time.

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# Band Members To Attend Clinic At State School

Misses Dorothy Bauchamp, drum major, Diana DuBois and Joan Pendleton, majorettes, of the Corsicana High school band, will be in Huntsville during the twirling clinic. The clinic will be attended by a colorful array of 370 twirlers and drum majors from 12 states who will arrive in Houston Tuesday camp Sunday afternoon to begin the week's activities.

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# County's Need Of Cotton Pickers Is Still Acute

According to a bulletin issued by the labor control department of the Texas Employment commission at Fort Worth, the cotton picking situation in Navarro county still is acute.

It was announced today that Navarro county cotton growers have increased the per-hundred-pound picking, weighing and hauling rate from \$2.35 to \$2.50. This includes \$2 for picking and 50 cents for weighing and hauling.

The TEC estimates Navarro county will harvest a 60,000 bale crop. Using these figures, W. B. Reed, local TEC director, estimates the laborers will earn approximately \$1,000,000 in the county by the time the cotton is harvested.

The TEC bulletin states that 1,020 pickers are needed in the county. The cotton crop condition is listed as good and about 45 per cent open. Only five per cent of the crop has been harvested, the bulletin states.

The bulletin, issued Friday, says 2,600 bales already have been ginned in Navarro county and that the gins are operating as needed. Only one crew of migrant workers is listed as working in the county. The average size of crews working, according to the report is 23.

The report states there are 1,020 unfilled openings in the county and 38 unfilled orders. The local office has handled 248 referrals in connection with the county's cotton crop.

# Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury

Dallas E. Haney, truck driver, narrowly escaped serious injury five miles north of Corsicana at 11:45 o'clock Friday morning when his truck overturned. He received head and hip injuries, but was discharged from the Navarro Clinic following treatment. A Griffin ambulance answered the call.

A loose steering rod was blamed for the accident. The truck was extensively damaged.

Haney was employed in the widening of the Highway 76 pavement and his truck was loaded with cement at the time of the mishap.

# Damages Sought By Purdon Man

A \$3,250 damage suit against Byford Winn, gas and oil distributor, was filed in Navarro District Court Friday by D. E. Purdon in connection with sale of "alleged kerosene" of a flash quality below that allowed by law.

Prince alleged that the defendant delivered to him on May 24 gallons of "alleged kerosene" which later was the cause of a fire that severely burned Prince and destroyed his home.

The fire started as Prince ignited some rags in a stove, where he had poured some of the alleged kerosene.

Excitations were made of the liquid, the petition said, disclosing the flash point to be lower than that of kerosene.

Prince, who lives at Purdon, is represented by Attorney George O. Nokes, Jr.

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# Miss Rouse Weds Raymond Ivy In Streetman Rites

Miss Marlene Rouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rouse of Streetman, became the bride of Raymond Ivy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ivy of Fairfield Sunday afternoon, August 7, at the home of the Rev. M. O. Southerland in Streetman. Close friends and relatives attended the double-ring rites.

Mrs. Freddy Ward of Corsicana served as matron of honor and Mr. Ward was the bridegroom's best man.

The bride attended Streetman High school and was graduated from Fairfield High school. The bridegroom was graduated from Fairfield High school. He is now employed with Boyd Cullen Construction Company in Gainesville, where he and his bride will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lee entertained with a supper immediately following the ceremony.

# Mrs. Grantham Has Patients Placed

Mrs. Gladys Grantham, chairman of Crippled Children's work in Navarro county, was in Dallas Monday to place one patient each in Carrell Clinic, Baylor Hospital, Baylor Medical Clinic and Scott Clinic. Two patients were hospitalized at Dr. Herbert Hipps' Clinic in Waco Thursday.

Mrs. Grantham was in Dallas Thursday to place two patients in Freeman Clinic, Dallas and Waco Friday to place one patient in Dr. Hipps' Clinic and one in the Johnson Clinic.

# Parents Located By Deputy For 3 Lost Children

Deputy Sheriff Dick Salter was a "hero" Thursday. At least he was in the eyes of three little lost bawling negro boys.

When Salter saw the boys, they were toddling up the middle of the Emhouse highway—crying at the top of their voices.

"We're going to find mommy and daddy," said one of the tots. "We got scared staying at home by ourselves."

The deputy picked up the kids, inquired around a bit, located the parents, and the boys dried their tears.

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# MISS BETTYE SHARPLEY AND WILLIAM COURTNEY KNIGHTON MARRY IN CHURCH CEREMONY

The marriage of Miss Bettye Sharpley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharpley, to William Courtney Knighton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Knighton of Canyon, was solemnized at 5 o'clock p. m. with Dr. J. I. Cartledge officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The rites were read before an altar decor of white gladioli in matching baskets, which were silhouetted against a background of palms and other seasonal greenery. Illumination was provided by white cathedral tapers which burned in golden floor candelabra.

As an organ prelude, Mrs. S. K. Briez played "Liebestraum," "O Promise Me," "I Love You Truly," "I Love Thee," and "Ave Maria" (Schubert). She also played "Trauer" as background music for the ceremony and used the traditional marches as processional and recessional. Solists were Bryant Tolbert of Fort Worth who sang "Because" and "At Dawning," and Denny Walker of Plainview who sang "The Lord's Prayer" with Mrs. Briez at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her twin brother, Bill Sharpley, wore a classic gown of lustrous white slipper satin, designed with molded bodice, long tapering sleeves, bouffant skirt and train. Her fingertip fell of imported bridal illusion veil from a tiara of seed pearls. She wore a single strand of pearls and an amethyst bracelet, the latter having been a family heirloom. She carried a white Bible marked with a white orchid and showered with stephanotis and white satin ribbons.

Miss Ruth Sharpley served as her sister's only attendant. She was attired in pale blue net over gold taffeta, fashioned with fitted bodice, full skirt and off-the-shoulder neckline, and carried a nosegay of Talisman roses.

Tom Knighton was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Ben Sharpley, brother of the bride, and Walter M. Lassiter of Fort Worth.

Reception Follows Rites. Receiving at an informal reception at Kinzie House were the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Knighton and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharpley. The bride's table held a huge fan-shaped arrangement of white gladioli, asters and angel lilies in a silver wine-cooler, which reflected effectively in a handsome wall mirror. Tall white tapers in silver candelabra shed a soft glow over the setting.

Miss Mary Pearch, a niece of the bride, presided at the three-tiered pink and white cake and Miss Amma Lee Keeser of Plainview served punch. Mrs. J. R. Copeland assisted in serving and Mrs. George Stokes of Plainview had charge of registering the guests.

When the couple left for a wedding trip to points in Colorado, the bride was wearing a dark green hammered satin two-piece dress, with cocoa brown hat and other accessories and a white neck-corsage. Upon their return, they will be at home at Wayland College, Plainview.

The bride was graduated from Corsicana High School and attended Wayland College. The bridegroom was graduated from West Texas High School at Canyon and attended Wayland College and Baylor University.

Out-of-Town Guests. Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knighton, Mr. and Mrs. Irving So-

# Club News

Kerens H-D Club. The Kerens Home Demonstration Club was entertained on August 25 by the Dawson club with an all day luncheon and demonstration. Nine members of the Kerens club were present.

Mrs. C. A. Willis was hostess for the occasion, and an hour was spent in getting acquainted. At noon a beautiful lunch was served.

Miss Gwen Vickery, junior student of homemaking at Baylor University, gave the demonstration on home planning and interior decoration. Following this members made wire recordings of interviews, and played them back at the conclusion.

Mrs. Carner Donnelly, Mrs. Bert Kilcrease and Mrs. Hardy Mayo won prizes in a memory contest.

# Scouting Program To Be Discussed

Jack Everheart, commissioner of the Navarro District of the Boy Scouts of America, has announced a round-table discussion for Thursday, Sept. 1, at the First Methodist Church here at 7:30 p. m.

Principal discussion topics will be the age changes in the Scouting program, which are effective on September 1 of this year; the Scout Exposition; various training opportunities and rumors of a "roll call."

# Two Grass Fires

The fire department was called today to extinguish grass fires in the 2400 block of West Sixth avenue and between East Sixth and Seventh avenues on South Ninth street.

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# Mildred Schools To Open Sept. 13; Teachers Named

Classes at the Mildred schools open Tuesday, September 13, A. G. Sebastian, superintendent, announced today.

Mildred will be host Monday, September 12, to the county teachers' meeting.

The 1949-1950 Mildred faculty consists of Supt. Sebastian, Jasper H. Lanier, high school principal and coach; James H. Davis, vocational agriculture guru; Emily Ganza Gross, vocational home-making; Eloise Johnston, English; Mrs. La Voyce Kennedy, commercial; Mrs. A. G. Sebastian, social science.

Bill Perdue, principal of Providence school, fifth grade; Mrs. M. L. Dorden, fifth grade; Mary E. Patterson, fourth grade; Mrs. J. O. Cheney, principal of Navarro school and third grade; Mrs. H. E. Fouty, second grade and Mrs. Ernestine Floyd, first grade.

# Wilson Tekells Are Given Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Tekell of Dallas, who were recently married, were honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. Etta Brown at Burke, August 20, given by friends and relatives.

Mrs. Tekell is a graduate of Rusk high school and Mr. Tekell attended Mildred high school and served overseas during World War II.

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